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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Patent Art Unit: 2991 Kozo UNO Examiner: Eric B. Compton Serial No. 10/642,247 . Filed: August 18, 2003 METHOD OF ASSEMBLING A TORQUE: For: LIMITING DEVICE HAVING A DAMPER MECHANISM THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Sir: Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.111 in the above-identified application: No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below: OTHER THAN A **SMALL ENTITY** SMALL ENTITY **CLAIMS** HIGHEST NO. REMAINING ADDIT. **PREVIOUSLY PRESENT** ADDIT. **AFTER** FEE **FEE** RATE EXTRA <u>RATE</u> **AMENDMENT** PAID FOR \$0 x18 =TOTAL 15 - 20 0 x09 =x88 =\$0 = x44 =INDEP - 3 \$ +150 =\$ +300 =1 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM TOTAL \$0 TOTAL Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00. [X]Applicant petitions for ONE-month extension of time and submits the fee of \$110.00. [X]Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ ____ for a _-month extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a). [] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this [X] communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1836. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. [X] Any additional excess claim fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. [X] Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the July 14, 2004 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page two (2) of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the <u>Listing of Claims</u>, which begins on page five (5) of this paper. Claims 1-15 are pending, with claims 1 and 11 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page twelve (12) of this paper.

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